

**To:** Mogharabi, Nahal[MOGHARABI.NAHAL@EPA.GOV]  
**From:** Albright, David  
**Sent:** Wed 10/22/2014 10:02:49 PM  
**Subject:** Re: EPA Follow Up

## Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

**From:** Albright, David  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 22, 2014 12:53 PM  
**To:** Mogharabi, Nahal; Montgomery, Michael  
**Cc:** Johnson, AudreyL  
**Subject:** RE: EPA Follow Up

Hi Nahal,

Per our conversation just now, there is a requirement in EPA's UIC regulations at 40 CFR section 144.31(e)(7) that requires permit applicants to submit information about (among other things), "...wells, springs, and other surface water bodies, and drinking water wells listed in public records or otherwise known to the applicant within a quarter mile of the facility property boundary."

Let me know if you have any questions.

David

**From:** Mogharabi, Nahal  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 22, 2014 11:56 AM  
**To:** Montgomery, Michael; Albright, David  
**Cc:** Johnson, AudreyL  
**Subject:** FW: EPA Follow Up

Hi Mike/David,

Please see the below follow up question from AP.

When are we scheduled to get all the documents we ned from the state?

Thanks,

Nahal

**From:** Knickmeyer, Ellen [<mailto:EKnickmeyer@ap.org>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 22, 2014 11:47 AM

**To:** Mogharabi, Nahal

**Subject:** RE: EPA Follow Up

Hi, Nahal – follow up question on this – can you tell me if federal law/regulation requires oil companies to submit Areas of Review with their applications for waste-water injection wells, and if the state is allowed to grant exemptions on those and other requirements before giving the permits for the waste-water injection wells?

Has anything developed regarding this review and EPA? Is EPA still waiting for more information and documents from the state?

I'm working on a deadline of late this afternoon.

Thanks much.

Ellen